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Ex parte KARL-LUTZ LAUTERJUNG

Application 08/878,908
Technology Center 3700

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Before, MARIA VIGNONE, *Supervisory Trial Clerk*.

VIGNONE, *Supervisory Trial Clerk*.

ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL

This application was electronically received by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on December 12, 2008. A review of the application revealed that it is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the Examiner to address the following matter(s) requiring attention prior to docketing.

APPEAL BRIEF, CLAIMS APPENDIX

A review of the Appeal Brief filed June 12, 2008, reveals that Claim 32 is not included in the Claims Appendix. The appendix should contain a copy of all claims included in the appeal. *See MPEP 120 (c)(1)(viii)*.

Accordingly, it is **ORDERED** that the application is returned to the Examiner:

1) for correction of the Claims Appendix of the Brief filed June 12, 2008.

If there are any questions pertaining to this Order, please contact the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences at 571-272-9797.

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